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Exhibit shown or demonstration conducted: d) Yes If Yes, brief description:	e)⊠ No.		
Claim(s) discussed: proposed claim 1 filed on 7/7/05.			
Identification of prior art discussed: Art of record.			
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Continuation of Substance of Interview including description of the general nature of what was agreed to if an agreement was reached, or any other comments: The attorney explained the differences between the prior art and the proposed claims, the proposed claims now recite the specific baffle assemblies extending longitudinally through the chambers and the aspect of providing "direct fluid" and the "passes through the reactor bed directly between the first and second chambers", which are not taught in the prior art (WO 97/43528). The examiner will reconsider her position and update her search upon receiving the response.